

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend:

Page 3 lines 12-15 as follows:

The attachment of the Requirements is done in the following manner. In the Rhapsody tool, the only means to associate a UML Requirement{[ ]} with an element of the model is to attach it to this element by using the "Add New / Constraint" function, as represented in the example of Figure 2 (for the requirement "Solution").

Page 3 lines 28 to 32 as follows:

- if a UML Requirement{[ ]} has repercussions on three methods of one and the same class, then this UML Requirement{[ ]} will be attached to the class. We have represented in Figure 3 an example of such an attachment of UML Requirement (high-level Requirement "HLR\_01" with two classes 3MyClass" and "MyOtherClass").